

Appln. No. 09/928,383  
Preliminary Armdt. dated August 20, 2003  
Submitted with RCE

#### **REMARKS**

In the parent application a response was filed on May 20 , 2003 responsive to the Final Rejection of February 20, 2003. The amendment was not acted on and its contents are incorporated herein as a Preliminary Amendment for consideration on its merits in this continuation application. Additionally a new Claim 24 has been added and is dependent on Claim 23 (formally designated Claim 10) in the amendment of May 20, 2003.

Claims 8 and 9 have been cancelled and replaced by Claim 23. This claim combines the features of Claim 9 with those of Claim 8.

The Examiner has rejected Claims 8 and 9 on Takahara under 35 U.S.C. 103(a). The rejection is respectfully traversed.

In the rejection, the Examiner has not taken into consideration subject matter set forth in Claim 9 (and now present in Claim 10). In this regard, the present invention is directed to a head mount image display device which is characterized in that an image of a virtual keyboard which includes input keys to be assigned by a key assignment means and an image displaying a result of an arithmetic operation performed by an arithmetic unit are synthesized and displayed side by side on one single screen.

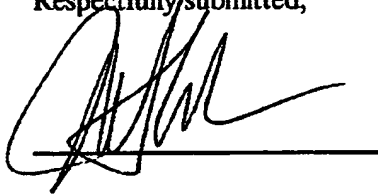
In contrast, the Takahara patent does not disclose the feature of displaying two images of a virtual keyboard and a result of an arithmetic operation arranged side by side on one screen, as originally set forth in Claim 9 and now included in Claim 23.

Appln. No. 09/928,383  
Preliminary Amdt. dated August 20, 2003  
Submitted with RCE

Claim 24 has been added and is dependent from Claim 23.

For the above reasons, it is respectfully submitted that Claim 23 and dependent Claim 24 are now in condition for allowance and favorable reconsideration is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Julian H. Cohen', is written over a horizontal line.

JULIAN H. COHEN  
LADAS & PARRY  
26 WEST 61<sup>ST</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10023  
REG.NO.20302(212)708-1887